UTAH PREHISTORY WEEK 2008 Poster Contest and Public Art Show

Utah Prehistory Week is scheduled for May 3rd through May 10th 2008. Significantly, this will be the 20th anniversary for Utah's celebration of archaeology and paleontology so we want everyone involved. Through a special arrangement with the Utah Arts Council, we will host an exhibit at the Rio Gallery of your prehistory-inspired artwork. Your photographs, sculptures and replicas all inspired by Utah's archaeological and paleontological heritage will be on display at the Rio Gallery in Salt Lake City from April 18th through May 10th.

Photographs of archaeological sites, rock art and even photographs of archaeologists working are encouraged. Historical photographs of archaeological sites are also encouraged; especially if you have recent ones showing the same sites. Replicas of ancient artifacts such as pottery or stone tools are welcome as well.

This exhibit is free and open to the public. Entries need to delivered by March 15th, 2008. If you want your photograph or original artwork to be considered for the 2008 **Utah Prehistory Week** Poster, please submit your entry by January 15, 2008.

Entry Guidelines

Photographs should be at least 8" x 10" and must be mounted on foam core or similar material. Please do not have your entries framed.

All entries must be accompanied with the following information (CLIP AND ATTACH TO YOUR ENTRY)

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Your Name	
Title of Entry	(optional)
Telephone	_
Address	-
Entry (Check one)	
Photograph Sculpture Other	
Original Artwork Replica	
For Sale? yes or no. Price	

2008 Prehistory Week Poster Deadline: To have your artwork considered for the 2008 Utah Prehistory Week Poster, we must have your entry by **January 15th**, **2008.**

The final poster will be 18" x 24."
To see previous year's posters, go to <u>Utah Prehistory Week</u>

If your entry is selected for the 2008 Prehistory Week Poster, you will receive \$250.00 and your artwork will be distributed throughout the United States. Last year we printed 4000 copies of the poster. The poster contest is open to all.

POSTER CONTEST AWARDS

Grand Prize - \$250.00 Elementary School Winner - \$100.00 Secondary School Winner - \$100.00 Honorable Mention - \$25.00

For more information go to www.history.utah.gov or contact:

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Entries can be mailed to:

Utah State History Antiquities Section 300 S. Rio Grande Street Salt Lake City, UT 84101

^{*} Entries for the art show will be considered on a first come – first serve basis. The Antiquities Section reserves the right to exclude any artwork made from authentic artifacts.